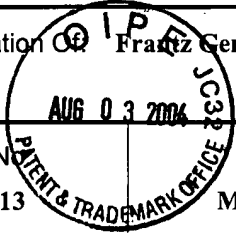


**COMBINED AMENDMENT & PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a) (Large Entity)**

Docket No.  
0267-1904

In Re Application of **Frantz Germain et al.**

Serial No.  
09/905,713



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Invention: **LOCKOUT MECHANISM FOR RESIDUAL CURRENT DEVICES**

TO THE COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:

This is a combined amendment and petition under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a response to the Office Action of March 1, 2004 in the above-identified application.  
*Date*

The requested extension is as follows (check time period desired):

- One month     Two months     Three months     Four months     Five months

from: May 1, 2004 until: August 1, 2004  
*Date* *Date*

The fee for the amendment and extension of time has been calculated as shown below:

**CLAIMS AS AMENDED**

	CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT	HIGHEST # PREV. PAID FOR	NUMBER EXTRA CLAIMS PRESENT	RATE	ADDITIONAL FEE
TOTAL CLAIMS	1 -	20 =	0	x \$18.00	\$0.00
INDEP. CLAIMS	1 -	3 =	0	x \$84.00	\$0.00
<b>FEE FOR AMENDMENT</b>					\$0.00
<b>FEE FOR EXTENSION OF TIME</b>					\$950.00
<b>TOTAL FEE FOR AMENDMENT AND EXTENSION OF TIME</b>					<b>\$950.00</b>

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The fee for the amendment and extension of time is to be paid as follows:

- A check in the amount of **\$950.00** for the amendment and extension of time is enclosed.
- Please charge Deposit Account No. **12-1185** in the amount of **\$950.00**
- The Director is hereby authorized to charge payment of the following fees associated with this communication or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No.
  - Any additional filing fees required under 37 C.F.R. 1.16.
  - Any patent application processing fees under 37 CFR 1.17.
- If an additional extension of time is required, please consider this a petition therefor and charge any additional fees which may be required to Deposit Account No. **12-1185**

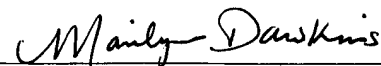


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I certify that this document and fee is being deposited on **July 29, 2004** with the U.S. Postal Service as first class mail under 37 C.F.R. 1.8 and is addressed to the Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450.



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